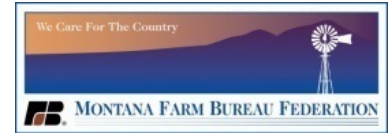


# Montana Agriculture: Current Issues and the Role of Agricultural Research



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8:00 – 8:30	<b>Registration</b>
8:30 – 8:35	<b>Welcome</b> Jeff Bader, Director of MSU Extension
8:40 – 9:00	<b>Montana Agricultural Outlook</b> Kate Fuller, Assistant Professor and Extension Economist MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
9:05 – 9:25	<b>High Frequency Trading in Agricultural Futures Markets</b> Joe Janzen, Assistant Professor MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
9:30 – 9:50	<b>Livestock Disaster Aid Programs</b> Eric Belasco, Assistant Professor MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
9:50 – 10:10	<b>Break</b>
10:10 – 10:30	<b>Importance of Oil and Gas Royalties for Montana Ag Producers</b> Tim Fitzgerald, Assistant Professor MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
10:35 – 10:55	<b>Changes in the U.S. Fertilizer Landscape</b> Gary Brester, Professor MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
11:00 – 12:00	<b>Key Note Address</b> <b>The Changing Landscape of U.S. and Global Research for Food and Agriculture</b> Philip Pardey, Professor and Director Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota International Science and Technology Practice and Policy Center
12:00 – 1:30	<b>“Montana Made” Awards Luncheon</b> SUB Ballrooms
1:30 – 3:30	<b>Transferring Your Farm or Ranch to Next Generation</b> Marsha Goetting, Extension Family Economics Specialist Department of Agricultural Economics and Economics SUB Rooms 233/235

A complete schedule of events for Celebrate Agriculture weekend is available at:  
<http://ag.montana.edu/excellence/agappreciation.htm>

